§300.752 Annual report of children served—certification.

The SEA shall include in its report a certification signed by an authorized official of the agency that the information provided under §300.751(a) is an accurate and unduplicated count of children with disabilities receiving special education and related services on the dates in question.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1411(d)(2); 1417(b))

§ 300.753 Annual report of children served—criteria for counting children.

- (a) The SEA may include in its report children with disabilities who are enrolled in a school or program that is operated or supported by a public agency, and that—
- (1) Provides them with both special education and related services that meet State standards;
- (2) Provides them only with special education, if a related service is not required, that meets State standards; or
- (3) In the case of children with disabilities enrolled by their parents in private schools, provides them with special education or related services under §§ 300.452–300.462 that meet State standards.
- (b) The SEA may not include children with disabilities in its report who are receiving special education funded solely by the Federal Government, including children served by the Department of Interior, the Department of Defense, or the Department of Education. However, the State may count children covered under § 300.184(c)(2).

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1411(d)(2); 1417(b))

§ 300.754 Annual report of children served—other responsibilities of the SEA.

In addition to meeting the other requirements of $\S\S 300.750-300.753$, the SEA shall—

- (a) Establish procedures to be used by LEAs and other educational institutions in counting the number of children with disabilities receiving special education and related services;
- (b) Set dates by which those agencies and institutions must report to the SEA to ensure that the State complies with §300.750(a);

- (c) Obtain certification from each agency and institution that an unduplicated and accurate count has been made;
- (d) Aggregate the data from the count obtained from each agency and institution, and prepare the reports required under §§ 300.750–300.753; and
- (e) Ensure that documentation is maintained that enables the State and the Secretary to audit the accuracy of the count.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1411(d)(2); 1417(b))

§ 300.755 Disproportionality.

- (a) General. Each State that receives assistance under Part B of the Act, and the Secretary of the Interior, shall provide for the collection and examination of data to determine if significant disproportionality based on race is occurring in the State or in the schools operated by the Secretary of the Interior with respect to—
- (1) The identification of children as children with disabilities, including the identification of children as children with disabilities in accordance with a particular impairment described in section 602(3) of the Act; and
- (2) The placement in particular educational settings of these children.
- (b) Review and revision of policies, practices, and procedures. In the case of determination of significant disproportionality with respect to the identification of children as children with disabilities, or the placement in particular educational settings of these children, in accordance with paragraph (a) of this section, the State or the Secretary of the Interior shall provide for the review and, if appropriate revision of the policies, procedures, and practices used in the identification or placement to ensure that the policies. procedures, and practices comply with the requirements of Part B of the Act.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1418(c))

§ 300.756 Acquisition of equipment; construction or alteration of facilities.

(a) General. If the Secretary determines that a program authorized under Part B of the Act would be improved by permitting program funds to be used to acquire appropriate equipment, or to